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TO: Iowa Medicaid HCBS Waiver (Excluding Individual CDAC), Habilitation, and

Remedial Services Providers

ISSUED BY: Iowa Department of Human Services, Iowa Medicaid Enterprise **RE:** 2009 Provider Quality Management Self-Assessment Training

The Department of Human Services' Bureau of Long Term Care has implemented the provider quality management oversight process based on the CMS' Quality Framework model. The 2009 Provider Quality Management Self-Assessment will be required of Medicaid providers enrolled under the Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) Waiver, Habilitation and Remedial programs to provide the applicable services as identified at the end of this correspondence.

The HCBS staff will be offering provider training on changes that have been made to the Self-Assessment form. This training will offer instruction and clarification on the completion of the 2009 Provider Quality Management Self-Assessment. The target audience for this training is provider staff responsible for the completion of the Self-Assessment and/or the development of policies, procedures, quality assurance/quality improvement plans and activities. *Direct care staff should not attend unless they have responsibility for these specific activities*.

The provider trainings will be presented at different locations throughout the state. Providers are strongly encouraged to attend a scheduled training listed below. Unless otherwise noted, pre-registration is not required. Seating may be limited.

Location	Site Name	Address	Date/Time
Cherokee	Cherokee MHI	1251 W. Cedar Loop	Tuesday, July 7
	Auditorium	Cherokee	
			10 am - 12 pm
Cedar Rapids	Four Oaks,	2100 1 st Avenue NE	Wednesday, July 8
	The Bridge	Cedar Rapids	
			9:00 am - 11:00 am
Ottumwa	Indian Hills	655 Indian Hills Dr	Friday, July 10
	Community College	Ottumwa	
	Room 5		9:30 am - 11:30 am
Bettendorf	Scott Community	500 Belmont Road	Tuesday, July 14
	College	Bettendorf	
	Student Life Center,		
	Room 2300		
	Enter thru Door 5 or 6		10:00 am - 12:00 pm
Fort Dodge	Public Library	424 Central Avenue	Wednesday, July 15
		Fort Dodge	
			9:30 am -11:30 am
Red Oak	Montgomery Co.	2301 Eastern Ave	Thursday, July 16
	Hospital	Red Oak	
		d.	9:30 am -11:30 am
Mason City Area	Clear Lake Public	200 N 4 th Street	Wednesday, July 22
	Library Lower level	Clear Lake	
	meeting room		1:30 pm – 3:30 pm

West Des Moines	West Des Moines	4000 Mills Civic Pkwy	Friday, July 24
	Public Library	West Des Moines	
	Community Room		
			9:30 am – 11:30 am
Elkader	Keystone AEA	1400 2 nd St. NW	Wednesday, July 29
	RMs D2 & D3	Hwy 56	
		Elkader	
		Pre-register for this	
		location at	
		mjacobs@dhs.state.ia.us	9:30 am – 11:30 am
Carroll	DMACC	906 N. Grant Road	Thursday, July 30
	RM# 142	Carroll	
			10:00 am- 12:00 pm

The Power Point presentation and other materials for these trainings will be posted on the HCBS website no later than July 2, 2009. These materials will not be available at the training sites. Participants will need to download and print the training materials from www.ime.state.ia.us/HCBS/HCBSTraining.html. Any questions specific to the quality management process may be sent to HCBSWaiver@dhs.state.ia.us. Questions regarding the training should be directed to the regional HCBS Specialist assigned to the provider organization. Visit www.ime.state.ia.us/docs/HCBS_Specialists.pdf to locate a list of regional specialists.

APPLICABLE SERVICES

As part of the Department of Human Services' quality management oversight process, providers are required to submit a *Provider Quality Management Self-Assessment* if enrolled for **one or more** of the applicable services listed below. Please note the required submission of this form is based on the provider's enrollment in these services, regardless of whether or not the organization is currently providing these services.

Program/Waiver	Applicable Services (self-assessment required)	Non-Applicable Services (self assessment not required)	
Brain Injury waiver	 behavior programming CDAC provided by an agency respite supported community living supported employment prevocational interim medical monitoring & treatment adult day care family counseling and training 	case management individual CDAC home and vehicle modification personal emergency response system specialized medical equipment transportation	
Mental Retardation waiver	 CDAC provided by an agency respite supported community living supported employment prevocational interim medical monitoring & treatment adult day care day habilitation residential-based supported community living 	 individual CDAC home health aide home and vehicle modification nursing personal emergency response system transportation 	
Ill and Handicapped waiver	respite CDAC provided by an agency interim medical monitoring & treatment adult day care	 individual CDAC counseling meals Home Health Aide homemaker home and vehicle modification nursing nutrition counseling personal emergency response system 	
Physical Disability waiver	CDAC provided by an agency	 individual CDAC home and vehicle modification personal emergency response system specialized medical equipment transportation 	
AIDS/HIV waiver	 CDAC provided by an agency respite adult day care 	 individual CDAC counseling meals home health aide homemaker nursing 	
Elderly waiver	 CDAC provided by an agency (includes Assisted Living providers) respite adult day care case management (if not Chapter 24 accredited) 	assistive devices companion transportation home health aide home and vehicle modification mental health outreach personal emergency response system companion transportation home health aide homemaker nursing nutritional counseling chore	
Children's Mental Health waiver	 family and community support services in-home family therapy respite 	 environmental modification and adaptive devices 	
Habilitation services	 day habilitation home-based habilitation prevocational habilitation supported employment habilitation 	■ case management	
Remedial services	 community psychiatric supportive treatment crisis intervention health or behavior intervention rehabilitation program skills training and development 		